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## NIGERIA

### WEEK OF 14 – 20 DECEMBER 2025

#### Organised Crime and Violent Extremism

*(Key concept clarification; causes; indicators and signs that push to radicalization; profiling and assessment or perpetrators of violent extremism; current violent extremism events; impact of violent extremism on population; the cross-cutting and patterns of violent extremism; actions and policies to counter violent extremism. Also, crimes related to syndicates and criminal groups that lead to insecurity and instability)*

##### Incident N\*1:

>Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 14/12/2025

Description of Incident: A Christian cleric was reportedly killed, two (2) others injured and thirty-seven (37) people including over 12 minors abducted in an attack carried out by suspected kidnappers on both the First ECWA Church and Apostolic Church at Ayetoro Kiri Area in Kabba/Bunu LGA of Kogi State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.

Location: Ayetoro Kiri Area in Kabba/Bunu LGA of Kogi State. The swift deployment of security agencies resulted in the death of four (4) suspects following a gunfire exchange.

Casualty [Male & female]: One male dead, two males injured, thirty-seven people abducted.

Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/Community members.

Coping Mechanism/Responses: The operatives of security agencies are making efforts to apprehend the perpetrators and rescue the abducted victims.

##### Incident N\*2:

Title of Incident: HOMICIDE/MOB VIOLENCE

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 14/12/2025

Description of Incident: Three (3) worshippers were reportedly stabbed to death by a suspect in a mosque at Kado Bimko Area in Gwarinpa District, Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT, while waiting for early morning prayers. The assailant, allegedly under the influence of drugs, was killed by sympathisers immediately after the attack.

Location: Kado Bimko Area in Gwarinpa District, Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT.

Casualty [Male & female]: Four males dead.

Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/Community members.

Coping Mechanism/Responses: The FCT Police Command launched an investigation aimed at ascertaining the circumstances surrounding the incident.

##### Incident N\*3:

Title of Incident: ABDUCTION

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 14/12/2025

Description of Incident: Five (5) residents were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected gunmen at Zurin Mahauta Village in Lakwaya Town, Gwarzo LGA of Kano State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.

Location: Zurin Mahauta Village in Lakwaya Town, Gwarzo LGA of Kano State.

Casualty [Male & female]: Five people abducted.

Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/Community residents.

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- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Security operatives were alerted and responded promptly, with efforts ongoing to track down the abductors and rescue the victims.

#### ■ **Incident N\*4:**

- **Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/THEFT**

- **Scale of incident: Low**

- **Date of Occurrence: 14/12/2025**

- **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people including a police operative and two (2) civilians were reportedly killed in an attack by a suspected armed gang on a security patrol team along Ajimaka Village Road en route to Rukubi Town in Doma LGA of Nasarawa State. An AK-47 rifle containing thirty (30) rounds of live ammunition was also stolen in the attack.

- **Location:** Ajimaka Village Road en route to Rukubi Town in Doma LGA of Nasarawa State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three males dead.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** One service AK-47 rifle, thirty rounds of live ammunition stolen/Police operatives, community members.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Operatives of the State Police Command were deployed to recover the stolen firearm and arrest the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*5:**

- **Title of Incident: CULT VIOLENCE**

- **Scale of incident: Low**

- **Date of Occurrence: 14/12/2025**

- **Description of Incident:** One (1) male student at Rufus Giwa Polytechnic was reportedly killed by suspected cultists at Opomulero Area in Owo LGA of Ondo State. The incident occurred while the suspects sought rivals in the area.

- **Location:** Opomulero Area in Owo LGA of Ondo State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Student.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command launched an investigation aimed at apprehending the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*6:**

- **Title of Incident: COMMUNAL VIOLENCE/LIVESTOCK ATTACK**

- **Scale of incident: Low**

- **Date of Occurrence: 14/12/2025**

- **Description of Incident:** About thirteen (13) cows were reportedly shot dead and twelve (12) others injured during an attack on livestock belonging to ethnic Fulani herders at grazing areas around Gero village in Jos South LGA of Plateau State.

- **Location:** Gero village in Jos South LGA of Plateau State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Thirteen cows killed, twelve cows injured/Ethnic Fulani herders.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security agencies were deployed to investigate the circumstances surrounding the incident aimed at apprehending the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*7:**

- **Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION/ABDUCTION**

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#### ■ **Scale of incident:** Low

#### ■ **Date of Occurrence:** 14/12/2025

#### ■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly rescued three (3) abducted victims and killed one (1) suspected armed bandit during a clearance operation following a banditry attack at Yar Geda Village in Bakura LGA of Zamfara State.

#### ■ **Location:** Yar Geda Village in Bakura LGA of Zamfara State.

#### ■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male suspect dead.

#### ■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected kidnappers, community residents

#### ■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The victims were taken to a medical centre for check-up, and joint patrols were sustained in the area to prevent further attacks and apprehend fleeing bandits.

#### ■ **Incident N\*8:**

#### ■ **Title of Incident:** ARREST

#### ■ **Scale of incident:** Low

#### ■ **Date of Occurrence:** 14/12/2025

#### ■ **Description of Incident:** One (1) suspect was reportedly arrested by police operatives in connection with the killing of a 25-year-old student in Opomulero area of Owo, Ondo State. The victim was allegedly attacked at his residence by suspected cultists and later confirmed dead at the Federal Medical Centre, Owo.

#### ■ **Location:** Opomulero area of Owo, Ondo State.

#### ■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

#### ■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Murder suspect.

#### ■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** A coordinated manhunt is ongoing to apprehend other suspects involved, while investigations continue.

#### ■ **Incident N\*9:**

#### ■ **Title of Incident:** ARREST

#### ■ **Scale of incident:** Low

#### ■ **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

#### ■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Federal Capital Territory (FCT) Police Command reportedly arrested sixty-one suspects during coordinated raids conducted at identified criminal hideouts and black spots across Abuja Municipal Area of the FCT. During the raids, quantities of dried leaves suspected to be Indian hemp, and other illicit drugs were recovered.

#### ■ **Location:** Abuja Municipal Area of the FCT.

#### ■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

#### ■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Criminal suspects.

#### ■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** All arrested suspects were detained in the custody of the FCT Police Command for screening and investigation.

#### ■ **Incident N\*10:**

#### ■ **Title of Incident:** FARMER-HERDER VIOLENCE

#### ■ **Scale of incident:** Low

#### ■ **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

#### ■ **Description of Incident:** Nine (9) persons including five (5) farmers and four (4) herders were reportedly injured during a clash between farmers and herders at Bakono Village in Loko Community,

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Nasarawa LGA of Nasarawa State. The incident was triggered by a dispute over alleged damage to crops on a farmland.

■ **Location:** Bakono Village in Loko Community, Nasarawa LGA of Nasarawa State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Nine people injured.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Crops damaged/Farmers, herders.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victims were taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

Security operatives were deployed to the strengthen security in the affected area. Also, a stakeholders' meeting was reportedly convened to prevent further escalation.

#### ■ **Incident N\*11:**

■ **Title of Incident: FARMER-HERDER VIOLENCE/ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 15/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** A herder was reportedly killed and two (2) farmers injured following a violent dispute over cattle grazing on a farmland at Guwal Village in Kwaya Kusar LGA of Borno State.

■ **Location:** Guwal Village in Kwaya Kusar LGA of Borno State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead, two males injured.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Crops damaged/Farmers, herder.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victims were hospitalized for medical treatment. Also, the operatives of the State Police Command arrested a suspect and recovered a Dane gun used for further investigation.

#### ■ **Incident N\*12:**

■ **Title of Incident: DRUG CONTROL ENFORCEMENT/ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 15/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected drug trafficker in a security raid at Rijiyar Zaki Quarters in Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State. 5 bags and 297 parcels of dried leaves suspected to be cannabis sativa were recovered.

■ **Location:** Rijiyar Zaki Quarters in Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected drug trafficker.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing investigation to determine the full extent of the suspect's activities and to apprehend other suspects involved.

#### ■ **Incident N\*13:**

■ **Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 15/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** An operative of the Nigerian Army was reportedly killed and two (2) others missing in an attack by suspected local militia at a bush area in Takum LGA of Taraba State. The incident occurred while the operatives were providing security for Tiv farmers during a patrol operation. Security operatives subsequently cordoned off the venue of the Miyetti Allah executives' election in Takum and arrested male executives present, though their involvement in the attack has not been established.

■ **Location:** Takum LGA of Taraba State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male security operative dead.

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- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Nigerian Army personnel.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** An investigation is underway to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

#### ■ **Incident N\*14:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Air Force (NAF) reportedly killed several suspected terrorists during a precision air interdiction operation conducted at Dabar Masara in the Southern Tumbuns area of Borno State. The operation reportedly led to the destruction of a terrorist logistics hub, including multiple vehicles concealed under vegetation and used for supply and movement.

- **Location:** Dabar Masara in the Southern Tumbuns area of Borno State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Several suspects dead.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Terrorists' logistics hub, multiple vehicles and supplies destroyed/Suspected terrorists.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to counter terrorists' activities in the State.

#### ■ **Incident N\*15:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION/ARREST

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly killed a suspected kidnapper, arrested three (3) informants and recovered an AK-47 rifle and 4 rounds of 7.62mm live ammunition in a security operation conducted at Dong Community in Jos North LGA of Plateau State.

- **Location:** Dong Community in Jos North LGA of Plateau State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One suspect killed.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected kidnappers, informants.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were detained in military custody for further investigation. Also, follow-up operations to track and arrest the fleeing members of the kidnap gang.

#### ■ **Incident N\*16:**

- **Title of Incident:** HOMICIDE/MOB VIOLENCE

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** A 70-year-old muezzin was reportedly killed and a 26-year-old male stabbed and injured by an assailant at Maraba Community in Hotoro Area of Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State. Community residents in response apprehended and killed the suspect and set his house ablaze.

- **Location:** Maraba Community in Hotoro Area of Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two males dead, one male injured.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** One house destroyed/Community members.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victim was taken to the hospital for medical treatment. The operatives of the State Police Command were deployed to strengthen peace in the area and carry out an investigation to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the incidents.

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#### ■ Incident N\*17:

■ **Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 15/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reportedly killed and one (1) former customs officer abducted during an attack by suspected armed gang on Ora Igbomina Town in Ifedayo LGA of Osun State. Local vigilantes and security operatives swiftly responded and pursued the attackers.

■ **Location:** Ora Igbomina Town in Ifedayo LGA of Osun State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead, one male abducted.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Additional security personnel were deployed to the area to track the bandits and secure the release of the abducted victim.

#### ■ Incident N\*18:

■ **Title of Incident: CULT VIOLENCE**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 15/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Two (2) persons were reportedly killed and one (1) person injured following a clash between rival cult gangs, suspected members of the Movement for the Emancipation of the Niger Delta (MEND) and the Iceland cult, at Ngo and Unyengala Communities in Andoni LGA of Rivers State.

■ **Location:** Ngo and Unyengala Communities in Andoni LGA of Rivers State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two males dead, one male injured.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community members.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Security agencies were deployed to strengthen security, and investigations are ongoing to identify and apprehend the perpetrators.

#### ■ Incident N\*19:

■ **Title of Incident: ABDUCTION**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 15/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Seven (7) construction workers were reportedly abducted in an attack by suspected bandits on a construction site at Oba Community in Isin LGA of Kwara State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.

■ **Location:** Oba Community in Isin LGA of Kwara State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Seven males abducted.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Construction workers.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security agencies were deployed on a search and rescue mission for the abducted victims.

#### ■ Incident N\*20:

■ **Title of Incident: BANDITRY**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 15/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Two (2) males were reportedly killed in an attack by suspected bandits along Babanla-Oreke Rod in Ifelodun LGA of Kwara State.

■ **Location:** Babanla-Oreke Rod in Ifelodun LGA of Kwara State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two males dead.

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- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Operatives of the State Police Command and local vigilantes were deployed to strengthen security in the affected area.

#### ■ **Incident N\*21:**

- **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** An unconfirmed number of residents were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected bandits at Jege Community in Yagba East LGA of Kogi State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- **Location:** Jege Community in Yagba East LGA of Kogi State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Several people abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security agencies were deployed on a search and rescue mission for the abducted victims.

#### ■ **Incident N\*22:**

- **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Four (4) male residents were reportedly kidnapped during an attack by suspected kidnappers at Nyanya Phase 4 in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- **Location:** Nyanya Phase 4 in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four males abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the FCT Police Command launched an investigation aimed at apprehending the perpetrators of the crime.

#### ■ **Incident N\*23:**

- **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/BANDITRY
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Two (2) people were reportedly abducted, and one (1) commuter injured during an attack by suspected armed bandits along the Egbe-Ogbe Road in Yagba West LGA of Kogi State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- **Location:** Egbe-Ogbe Road in Yagba West LGA of Kogi State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One person injured, two people abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Commuters.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured commuter reportedly escaped and is receiving medical treatment.

#### ■ **Incident N\*24:**

- **Title of Incident:** BANDITRY
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■ **Description of Incident:** A driver was reportedly killed in an attack by suspected bandits along the Galadimawa–Tumburku Road in Giwa LGA of Kaduna State. The operatives of security agencies swiftly rescued four (4) passengers and evacuated them to safety.

■ **Location:** Galadimawa–Tumburku Road in Giwa LGA of Kaduna State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damage reported/Commuters.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to counter banditry in the State.

#### ■ **Incident N\*25:**

■ **Title of Incident:** BANDITRY/ABDUCTION

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** A male was reportedly killed and an unspecified number of residents abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Karakkai District in Bungudu LGA of Zamfara State.

■ **Location:** Karakkai District in Bungudu LGA of Zamfara State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead, several people abducted.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community members.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army, in collaboration with the State Police Command and local hunters, were deployed to secure the area, and efforts are ongoing to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*26:**

■ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** One (1) operative of the Nigerian Army was reportedly killed and thirteen (13) passengers abducted in a coordinated attack carried out by suspected kidnappers disguised in military uniforms along the Okene-Auchi Federal Highway in Okene LGA of Kogi State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.

■ **Location:** Okene-Auchi Federal Highway in Okene LGA of Kogi State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male security operative dead, thirteen people abducted.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damage reported/Commuters, Nigerian Army operative.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Joint security operations are ongoing to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*27:**

■ **Title of Incident:** ARREST

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** Police operatives reportedly arrested one (1) male suspect for unlawful possession of two single-barrel guns and three live cartridges at Olorunsogo Community in Panada Area, Ikire LGA of Osun State.

■ **Location:** Olorunsogo Community in Panada Area, Ikire LGA of Osun State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

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- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected gunman.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in custody of the State Police Command for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

#### ■ **Incident N\*28:**

- **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Several residents were reportedly abducted by armed bandits during an attack on Nahuce Community in Bungudu LGA of Zamfara State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- **Location:** Nahuce Community in Bungudu LGA of Zamfara State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Several people abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Joint security operations are ongoing to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*29:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Navy reportedly killed two (2) suspected kidnappers during a security operation along Inele/Inabe Road in Olamaboro LGA of Kogi State. The suspects were intercepted while allegedly attempting a kidnapping. Identity cards bearing the name and logo of the Miyetti Allah Cattle Breeders Association were recovered from them.
- **Location:** Inele/Inabe Road in Olamaboro LGA of Kogi State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two male suspects dead.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected armed herders.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Investigations are ongoing to verify the authenticity of the IDs and determine whether the suspects were part of a larger criminal network operating in Kogi State and neighbouring areas.

#### ■ **Incident N\*30:**

- **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Four (4) persons were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected kidnappers at Adama Village in Karaye LGA of Kano State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the attack.
- **Location:** Adama Village in Karaye LGA of Kano State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four people abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** A joint security team was deployed on a manhunt aimed at rescuing the victims and apprehending the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*31:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

 **Scale of incident:** Medium

 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025

 **Description of Incident:** Twelve (12) miners were reportedly killed and several others injured in an attack carried out by suspected ethnic Fulani militia on a mining site at Faan District in Barkin Ladi LGA of Plateau State. The motive for the attack is unknown.

 **Location:** Faan District in Barkin Ladi LGA of Plateau State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Twelve people dead, several people injured.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damage reported/Artisanal miners.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victims were hospitalized for medical treatment. There is also an ongoing security operation to counter militia activities in the State.

 **Incident N\*32:**

 **Title of Incident:** ARREST/HOMICIDE

 **Scale of incident:** Low

 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025

 **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a 20-year-old male suspect in connection with the robbery and killing of a 25-year-old motorcyclist, whose body was found at Bakin Dutsi Forest in Ngaski LGA of Kebbi State. The suspect was found in possession of the stolen motorcycle.

 **Location:** Bakin Dutsi Forest in Ngaski LGA of Kebbi State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One motorcycle stolen/Suspected thief, motorcyclist.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

 **Incident N\*33:**

 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

 **Scale of incident:** Low

 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/12/2025

 **Description of Incident:** The Department of State Services (DSS) reportedly arrested an Islamic cleric, identified as a leader of the Ta'awunu Muslimeen group, following the circulation of a video in which he and members of his group called for a "Free Palestine" protest in Osun State. The arrest was part of ongoing intelligence-led operations to monitor public gatherings and online mobilisation with potential security implications.

 **Location:** Osun State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Islamic cleric.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The DSS launched an investigation into the group's activities, while no official statement was issued at reporting time.

 **Incident N\*34:**

 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION

 **Scale of incident:** Low

 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/12/2025

 **Description of Incident:** At least five (5) persons including the newly elected vice chairman of Biu LGA of Borno State, councillors representing Zarawuyaku and Miringa wards within the LGA, and several

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unidentified passengers were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Gujba LGA of Yobe State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.

■ **Location:** Gujba LGA of Yobe State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Five people abducted.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Government officials, commuters.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Security operatives were deployed on a manhunt aimed at rescuing the victims and apprehending the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*35:**

■ **Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 17/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly killed three (3) suspected bandits in a security operation conducted at Batamna Village in Shinkafi LGA of Zamfara State. During the operation, three AK-47 rifles and a communication radio were recovered.

■ **Location:** Batamna Village in Shinkafi LGA of Zamfara State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three male suspects dead.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected bandits.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to counter bandits' activities in the State.

#### ■ **Incident N\*36:**

■ **Title of Incident: ABDUCTION**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 17/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Two (2) residents including a female were reportedly abducted by suspected kidnappers at Ugba Community in Logo LGA of Benue State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.

■ **Location:** Ugba Community in Logo LGA of Benue State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two people (1 male, 1 female) abducted.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Security operatives were deployed on a manhunt aimed at rescuing the victims and apprehending the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*37:**

■ **Title of Incident: ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 17/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly arrested two (2) suspected Boko Haram and ISWAP logistics suppliers and recovered assorted food items, energy drinks, three (3) mobile phones, an identity card, a ring, and cash in Naira and CFA Francs in a security operation along the Maiduguri-Bama Road in Gwoza LGA of Borno State.

■ **Location:** Maiduguri-Bama Road in Gwoza LGA of Borno State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected terrorists logistics suppliers.

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■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were detained in military custody for further investigation.

■ **Incident N\*38:**

■ **Title of Incident: ARMED ROBBERY**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 17/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Two (2) persons were reportedly killed and several other passengers injured in an attack by suspected armed robbers on a truck conveying goods and passengers along Gadar Bala Area on the Doma-Yelwa Road in Doma LGA of Nasarawa State.

■ **Location:** Gadar Bala Area on the Doma-Yelwa Road in Doma LGA of Nasarawa State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two people dead.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damage reported/Commuters.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Patrol teams of the State Police Command, supported by vigilante groups and local hunters, were deployed to the scene, and the injured victims were evacuated to the hospital for medical treatment. Investigations are ongoing to apprehend the fleeing perpetrators.

■ **Incident N\*39:**

■ **Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 18/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army and the Department of State Services (DSS), reportedly raided a suspected criminal hideout at Gwender Village in Bokkos LGA of Plateau State following intelligence reports. The suspects, however, fled before the arrival of the troops, while a search of the hideout led to the recovery of a fabricated AK-47 rifle with a magazine, one fabricated pistol, and several rounds of ammunition of different calibres.

■ **Location:** Gwender Village in Bokkos LGA of Plateau State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected criminals.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to apprehend the fleeing suspects and curb the proliferation of illicit arms in the area.

■ **Incident N\*40:**

■ **Title of Incident: ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 18/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army and the Department of State Services (DSS), reportedly arrested a suspected Fulani militia ammunition trafficker at a security operation mounted at Mairana Community in Mangu LGA of Plateau State. Two boxes of ammunition containing 1,400 rounds of 7.62mm special ammunition were recovered.

■ **Location:** Mairana Community in Mangu LGA of Plateau State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected ammunition trafficker.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect and recovered ammunition were placed in the custody of the security agencies for investigation. Also, there is an ongoing security operation to counter arms trafficking and criminal activities in the area.

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#### ■ Incident N\*41:

■ **Title of Incident: ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 18/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested one (1) male suspect and recovered 2 pump-action rifles in a security operation conducted within Abeokuta Area of Ogun State.

■ **Location:** Abeokuta Area of Ogun State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected gunman.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation, with a view to prosecution.

#### ■ Incident N\*42:

■ **Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 18/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly killed several suspected terrorists while repelling an attempted infiltration by the suspects at Bitta Community in Gwoza LGA of Borno State. Recovered items included AK-47 rifles, PKT machine guns, hand-held radios, bandoliers, ammunition, a camcorder, motorcycles, and bicycles.

■ **Location:** Bitta Community in Gwoza LGA of Borno State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Several male suspects dead.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected terrorists.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to sustain dominance and prevent regrouping in the area.

#### ■ Incident N\*43:

■ **Title of Incident: ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 18/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested three (3) suspected kidnappers during an intelligence-led patrol at Bani in Kaiama LGA of Kwara State. 54 rounds of live AK-47 ammunition were recovered.

■ **Location:** Bani in Kaiama LGA of Kwara State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected kidnappers.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation, with efforts ongoing to apprehend other individuals linked to a planned kidnapping operation.

#### ■ Incident N\*44:

■ **Title of Incident: BANDITRY**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 18/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reportedly killed during an attack by suspected armed bandits on Garin Idi Village in Sobon Birni District, Sabon Birni LGA of Sokoto State.

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- **Location:** Garin Idi Village in Sobon Birni District, Sabon Birni LGA of Sokoto State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army promptly responded and engaged the attackers in a gun duel, forcing them to flee.

#### ■ **Incident N\*45:**

- **Title of Incident:** CATTLE RUSTLING
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 18/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Suspected cattle rustlers reportedly stole fifty cows during an attack on herders grazing on the outskirts of Gbugbu community in Lafiagi Area, Edu LGA of Kwara State.
- **Location:** Gbugbu community in Lafiagi Area, Edu LGA of Kwara State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Fifty cows stolen/Pastoralists.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Following the report, a joint security team comprising of the Nigerian Army, State Police Command, members of the Village Guard Network (VGN), and local hunters was mobilised to the area to comb surrounding bushes for possible recovery of the stolen cows.

#### ■ **Incident N\*46:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 18/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army, supported by Nigerian Air Force air support reportedly repelled an attack by suspected Islamic State of West Africa Province (ISWAP) terrorists on Battalion Headquarters "Alfa" in Borno State. Recovered items include 6 RPGs, 366 rounds of 7.62mm ammunition, and expended PKT rounds.
- **Location:** Borno State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected ISWAP terrorists.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to counter terrorists' activities in the State.

#### ■ **Incident N\*47:**

- **Title of Incident:** DRUG CONTROL ENFORCEMENT/ARREST
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 18/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected drug peddler and recovered eight bags of Indian hemp in a security raid conducted at Gana Area in Sapele LGA of Delta State.
- **Location:** Gana Area in Sapele LGA of Delta State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected drug peddler.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

#### ■ **Incident N\*48:**

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#### ■ **Title of Incident: ARMED ROBBERY/PHYSICAL ASSAULT**

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** Several family members were reportedly injured and several valuables including cash, smartphones, a power bank, a shuttle bag, clothes, and a motorcycle stolen in an attack carried out by suspected armed robbers at Amafu-Katsina Ala Road Community in Katsina-Ala LGA of Benue State.

■ **Location:** Amafu-Katsina Ala Road Community in Katsina-Ala LGA of Benue State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Several people injured.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Cash, smartphones, a power bank, a shuttle bag, clothes, and a motorcycle stolen/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There was no reported intervention by security operatives at reporting time.

#### ■ **Incident N\*49:**

■ **Title of Incident: ARREST**

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested five (5) suspects, including a 15-year-old male schoolboy, in a security operation conducted at Volkswagen Roundabout and Ago Palace Area in Oshodi/Isolo LGA of Lagos State in connection with a staged kidnapping. Preliminary investigations revealed that the suspects orchestrated the fake abduction to extort N1.7 million from the victim's mother.

■ **Location:** Volkswagen Roundabout and Ago Palace Area in Oshodi/Isolo LGA of Lagos State

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected fake kidnap syndicate.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

#### ■ **Incident N\*50:**

■ **Title of Incident: BANDITRY**

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** Four (4) persons were reportedly killed and seven (7) others injured in an attack by suspected bandits at Bundu-Kahugu Community in Lere LGA of Kaduna State. The injured victims were taken to nearby medical facilities for treatment.

■ **Location:** Bundu-Kahugu Community in Lere LGA of Kaduna State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four people dead, seven people injured.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to counter bandits' activities in the State.

#### ■ **Incident N\*51:**

■ **Title of Incident: MOB VIOLENCE**

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 19/12/2025

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- **Description of Incident:** A suspected motorcycle snatcher was reportedly killed and set ablaze by members of the public at Gyado Village in Makurdi LGA of Benue State. The incident occurred shortly after the suspect was caught attempting to snatch a motorcycle. Two (2) other accomplices, however, escaped.
- **Location:** Gyado Village in Makurdi LGA of Benue State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male suspect dead.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected motorcycle snatcher.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command launched an investigation to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the incident.

#### ■ **Incident N\*52:**

- **Title of Incident: ABDUCTION**
- **Scale of incident: Low**
- **Date of Occurrence: 19/12/2025**
- **Description of Incident:** Nine (9) persons, including a woman, her three (3) children and five (5) farmers, were reportedly abducted in an attack by suspected armed bandits at Inele-Ugoh village in Igah Ikeje Community, Olamaboro LGA of Kogi State.
- **Location:** Inele-Ugoh village in Igah Ikeje Community, Olamaboro LGA of Kogi State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Nine people (5 males, 1 female, 3 minors) abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damage reported/Community residents, farmers.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Operatives of the Nigerian Army and local vigilantes launched a search operation aimed at rescuing the abductees and apprehending the perpetrators.

#### ■ **Incident N\*53:**

- **Title of Incident: CULT VIOLENCE**
- **Scale of incident: Low**
- **Date of Occurrence: 19/12/2025**
- **Description of Incident:** A male resident was reportedly shot dead in a clash between suspected rival cult groups in Bayelsa State. Supremacy clashes and reprisal attacks were attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- **Location:** Bayelsa State
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community resident.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command launched an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the incident.

#### ■ **Incident N\*54:**

- **Title of Incident: DRUG CONTROL ENFORCEMENT/ARREST**
- **Scale of incident: Low**
- **Date of Occurrence: 19/12/2025**
- **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested eight (8) suspected drug traffickers, including two (2) females, during coordinated drug control operations conducted across Lagos, Kogi, Oyo, Osun and Kaduna States. During the operations, NDLEA operatives recovered a total of 23.50 kilograms of cocaine; 144,380 units of tramadol (capsules and pills); 1,800 ampoules of pentazocine injection; 618.8 kilograms of skunk (cannabis); and Colorado (synthetic cannabis).

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- **Location:** Lagos, Kogi, Oyo, Osun and Kaduna States.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected drug traffickers.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were detained in the custody of the NDLEA for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

#### ■ **Incident N\*55:**

- **Title of Incident:** BANDITRY/ABDUCTION

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 19/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** Two (2) people were reportedly killed and about ten (10) others abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Olle-Bunu Community in Kabba/Bunu LGA of Kogi State. Kidnapping for ransom was attributed as the motive behind the crime.

- **Location:** Olle-Bunu Community in Kabba/Bunu LGA of Kogi State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two people dead, ten people abducted.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Operatives of security agencies launched a manhunt aimed at rescuing the abducted victims and apprehending the perpetrators of the crime.

#### ■ **Incident N\*56:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK/ARREST

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 20/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people, including two (2) police officers and one (1) female were reportedly injured in an attack by suspected gunmen on a police checkpoint at Ipele Junction in Owo LGA of Ondo State. A reinforcement of security operatives swiftly engaged the suspects, in a gun duel, arrested a suspect and recovered an operational motorcycle.

- **Location:** Ipele Junction in Owo LGA of Ondo State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three people (2 male security operatives, 1 female) injured.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Police operatives, community resident, suspected criminal.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in the custody of the State Police Command to aid ongoing investigations aimed at apprehending the fleeing accomplices. Also, the injured victims were taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

#### ■ **Incident N\*57:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARREST

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 20/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested five (5) armed suspects allegedly posing as vigilantes at Awka Axis in Anambra State. Two pump-action guns, five (5) live cartridges, a shuttle bus, face masks, number plates, and other incriminating items were recovered.

- **Location:** Awka Axis in Anambra State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected criminals.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigations to identify additional accomplices.

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#### ■ Incident N\*58:

■ **Title of Incident: BANDITRY/ABDUCTION**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 20/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Two (2) people were reportedly killed in an attack by suspected armed bandits at Kalgo Community in Tsafe LGA of Zamfara State. The suspects also allegedly demanded a sum of twenty million Naira and three motorcycles from residents.

■ **Location:** Kalgo Community in Tsafe LGA of Zamfara State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two people dead.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to counter bandits' activities in the State.

#### ■ Incident N\*59:

■ **Title of Incident: BANDITRY**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 20/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** A resident was reportedly killed and several domestic livestock rustled in an attack carried out by suspected bandits at Kauyen Gabas Village Axis in Karare District, Rimi LGA of Katsina State.

■ **Location:** Kauyen Gabas Village Axis in Karare District, Rimi LGA of Katsina State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several domestic livestock stolen/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security operation to counter bandits' activities in the State.

#### ■ Incident N\*60:

■ **Title of Incident: ABDUCTION/ARMED ATTACK**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 20/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** A driver was reportedly shot dead and thirteen (13) passengers including six (6) females abducted following an attack carried out by suspected hoodlums along the Benin-Lagos Road at Isiuwa Community in Ovia North-East LGA of Edo State. Two (2) passengers are still reportedly missing.

■ **Location:** Isiuwa Community in Ovia North-East LGA of Edo State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead, thirteen people abducted.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damage reported/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Operatives of the State Police Command swiftly responded and rescued eleven (11) victims with efforts ongoing to rescue the remaining two (2) victims.

#### ■ Incident N\*61:

■ **Title of Incident: ARREST/ROBBERY**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 20/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspected armed robbers and recovered a locally made firearm and a stolen motorcycle in a security

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operation conducted at Nasarawa Town in Nasarawa LGA of Nasarawa State. Preliminary investigation revealed that the suspects were allegedly involved in an armed robbery targeting a resident in the area.

- **Location:** Nasarawa Town in Nasarawa LGA of Nasarawa State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected robbers.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

## Women, Peace and Security

*Key concept clarification violence against women and girls; women participation in conflict; impact of conflict on women; women's role in peace and security; policies for and against women; assessment of current events on women peace and security.*

#### ■ **Incident N\*62:**

- **Title of Incident:** HOMICIDE/ARSON

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 14/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** A female farmer was reportedly found dead in River Agbuu in Gwer East LGA of Benue State, after being declared missing 3 days prior while going to work on a farm in Mbabur community. The deceased's uncovered slippers, a wheelbarrow, and farming implements were recovered on the farm. The incident sparked unrest in the area, including the burning of a house.

- **Location:** River Agbuu in Gwer East LGA of Benue State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female dead.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Farmer.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command launched an inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death, and investigations are ongoing.

#### ■ **Incident N\*63:**

- **Title of Incident:** DRUG CONTROL ENFORCEMENT/ARREST

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 14/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested one (1) female suspect, aged 67, for allegedly producing and repackaging adulterated dry gin at Otor-Edor Community in Ughelli North LGA of Delta State. Large quantities of dangerous chemicals, over 60 litres of suspected counterfeit gin, and packaging materials were recovered.

- **Location:** Otor-Edor Community in Ughelli North LGA of Delta State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected drug trafficker.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

#### ■ **Incident N\*64:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARREST/HUMAN TRAFFICKING

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

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- **Description of Incident:** Operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a female resident for the alleged sale of her 2-month-old child in exchange for a cash sum at Effurun Area in Uvwie LGA of Delta State. The suspect falsely alleged that the baby was abducted. The operatives also recovered the baby.
- **Location:** Effurun Area in Uvwie LGA of Delta State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community members.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in the custody of the State Police Command for further investigation aimed at prosecution.

#### ■ **Incident N\*65:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARREST/HUMAN TRAFFICKING
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** The Osun State Police Command reportedly arrested one (1) suspect in connection with an alleged child trafficking case involving a 13-year-old girl at Ipetu-Jesa Town in Oriade LGA of Osun State. Preliminary investigations revealed that the suspect had arranged for the minor to travel out of the state, and a passport had been prepared for her.
- **Location:** Ipetu-Jesa Town in Oriade LGA of Osun State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected child trafficker.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect was detained in the custody of the State Police Command for investigation while efforts to locate the missing girl are ongoing.

#### ■ **Incident N\*66:**

- **Title of Incident:** RAPE/ARREST
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Personnel of the State Security Network 'Amotekun' Corps reportedly arrested a 28-year-old male suspect over alleged defilement of a 7-year-old female minor at Ilawe Ekiti Community in Ekiti Southwest LGA of Ekiti State. The suspect allegedly lured the minor to his apartment under false pretences and committed the crime.
- **Location:** Ilawe Ekiti Community in Ekiti South-west LGA of Ekiti State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female minor raped.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Suspected rapist, community resident.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The suspect and the victim were taken to the Ekiti State Amotekun Headquarters Command for further investigation and necessary action.

#### ■ **Incident N\*67:**

- **Title of Incident:** ARMED ROBBERY/PHYSICAL ASSAULT
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 19/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** A female lawyer was reportedly injured and robbed in an attack by an armed shuttle driver along the Asaba-Benin Road in Oshimili North LGA of Delta State. The assailant stole the victim's mobile phone and money.
- **Location:** Asaba-Benin Road in Oshimili North LGA of Delta State.

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- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female injured.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Mobile phone, money stolen/Commuter.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The victim was rescued by villagers and police operatives and taken to the hospital for medical treatment. The State Police Command launched an investigation into the incident.

#### ■ **Incident N\*68:**

- **Title of Incident:** EXTRAJUDICIAL ACTION/PHYSICAL ASSAULT
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 19/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** A female resident was reportedly physically assaulted by a Nigerian Navy operative while attempting to intervene in a disagreement at Gowon Estate in Egbeda Community, Alimosho LGA of Lagos State.
- **Location:** Gowon Estate in Egbeda Community, Alimosho LGA of Lagos State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female injured.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives of the Nigeria Navy have commenced investigation into the incident for further action.

## Democracy and Governance

*(Key concept clarification—rule of law; actions of branches of government; elections and its implications to transition processes; stakeholders' analysis; events of threats to political transitions; protocols and threats and treaties for democratic stability; constitutional amendments; stakeholders' response)*

#### ■ **Incident N\*69:**

- **Title of Incident:** AVIATION MISHAP
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 14/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Eleven (11) people including eight (8) passengers and three (3) crew members, reportedly escaped unhurt after a private jet reportedly crash-landed at Mallam Aminu Kano International Airport (MAKIA) in Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State.
- **Location:** Mallam Aminu Kano International Airport (MAKIA) in Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** One aircraft damaged/Passengers and crew members.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** All passengers and crew reportedly disembarked safely, and the aircraft has been secured for a detailed technical inspection and investigation by the Nigeria Civil Aviation Authority (NCAA).

#### ■ **Incident N\*70:**

- **Title of Incident:** GAS EXPLOSION/FIRE OUTBREAK
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025
- **Description of Incident:** Several properties and a residential building were reportedly destroyed in a fire outbreak following a gas explosion at Temidere Community in Asa LGA of Kwara State. Preliminary investigations indicated that the explosion was caused by gas leakage.
- **Location:** Temidere Community in Asa LGA of Kwara State.
- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualties reported.

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- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties, a residential building destroyed/Community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Personnel of the State Fire Service responded and contained the fire to prevent further escalation.

#### ■ Incident N\*71:

■ **Title of Incident:** AIR MISHAP

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 16/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** Four (4) occupants were reportedly injured following the crash of a light aircraft at the Sam Mbakwe International Cargo Airport in Owerri North LGA of Imo State. The incident occurred following an in-flight emergency.

■ **Location:** Sam Mbakwe International Cargo Airport in Owerri North LGA of Imo State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four people injured.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** One aircraft damaged/Flight crew.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victims were hospitalized for medical treatment. Also, the Nigerian Safety Investigation Bureau (NSIB) launched an investigation into the incident.

#### ■ Incident N\*72:

■ **Title of Incident:** PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** The Nigeria Labour Congress (NLC) reportedly held coordinated protests across multiple states, including Enugu, Anambra, and Lagos States as well as Abuja, FCT. The demonstrations, involving NLC leaders, supporters, and affiliated bodies of the union, were part of a nationwide campaign against rising insecurity and worsening economic conditions. Participants called on the government to enhance the protection of lives and property, curb violent crimes, kidnappings, and banditry, and address broader labour grievances, including unresolved agreements with the Federal Government and the rising cost of living.

■ **Location:** The FCT, Enugu, Anambra, and Lagos States.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:**

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Security operatives were deployed at the locations to ensure peaceful conduct.

#### ■ Incident N\*73:

■ **Title of Incident:** PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION/DEMOLITION

■ **Scale of incident:** Low

■ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/12/2025

■ **Description of Incident:** Residents of Mile 12 Central in Kosofe LGA of Lagos State reportedly protested the demolition of over 200 houses in their community by the Lagos State Building Control Agency (LASBCA), alleging that the exercise was carried out without prior notice. The protesters appealed to the Lagos State House of Assembly to intervene, stating that the exercise caused medical emergencies and displaced several residents.

■ **Location:** Mile 12 Central in Kosofe LGA of Lagos State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Two hundred houses demolished/Community members.

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- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The matter was placed under review by the Lagos State House of Assembly.

## Environmental Security

*(Key concept clarification-Epidemics and pandemics (causatives factors, impact and threat to human security at localized levels and at regional levels); food security (agro-pastoralist conflicts); natural and man-made disasters, humanitarian crisis, climate change (industrialisation, pollution, destruction of ecosystem). Biodiversity)*

#### ■ **Incident N\*74:**

- **Title of Incident:** FIRE OUTBREAK

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 14/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** A fire outbreak reportedly occurred at the Elegushi Model Market in Lekki, Eti-Osa LGA of Lagos State, destroying forty-eight shops. Preliminary findings indicated that the fire originated from a makeshift stall within the market, while investigations into the exact cause are ongoing.

- **Location:** Elegushi Model Market in Lekki, Eti-Osa LGA of Lagos State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Forty-eight shops destroyed/Business owners.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Personnel of the State Fire and Rescue Service responded and contained the fire to prevent further escalation.

#### ■ **Incident N\*75:**

- **Title of Incident:** FIRE OUTBREAK

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** Several shops and large quantities of goods were reportedly destroyed by a fire outbreak at the Gombe Timber Market (Kasuwar Katako) in Gombe LGA of Gombe State. The cause of the fire was undisclosed.

- **Location:** Gombe Timber Market (Kasuwar Katako) in Gombe LGA of Gombe State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several shops, goods destroyed/Business owners.

- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The personnel of the State Fire Service were deployed to douse the fire and prevent a further spread.

#### ■ **Incident N\*76:**

- **Title of Incident:** ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT/ARREST

- **Scale of incident:** Low

- **Date of Occurrence:** 15/12/2025

- **Description of Incident:** Personnel of the Lagos Waste Management Authority's (LAWMA) Waste Infractions Surveillance and Investigation Team reportedly arrested three (3) persons including a female for allegedly illegally dumping refuse along the median of Ikotun-Igando Road in Alimosho LGA of Lagos State.

- **Location:** Ikotun-Igando Road in Alimosho LGA of Lagos State.

- **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Environmental offenders.

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■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects were handed over to LAWMA's legal unit for prosecution in court.

■ **Incident N\*77:**

■ **Title of Incident: FIRE OUTBREAK**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 16/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** A male minor reportedly sustained injuries in a fire outbreak that affected the living room and kitchen of a 3-bedroom flat on the upper floor of a four-unit residential building on Taiwo Street, Micheal Fadahunsi Close in Oke-Ado Area, Ibadan North LGA of Oyo State. The fire was attributed to an electric surge.

■ **Location:** Taiwo Street, Micheal Fadahunsi Close in Oke-Ado Area, Ibadan North LGA of Oyo State.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male minor injured.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Living room area and kitchen destroyed/Community residents.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The personnel of the State Fire Service rescued and evacuated the victim to a medical facility for medical treatment. Also, the fire was contained and doused.

■ **Incident N\*78:**

■ **Title of Incident: FIRE OUTBREAK**

■ **Scale of incident: Low**

■ **Date of Occurrence: 17/12/2025**

■ **Description of Incident:** A fire outbreak reportedly destroyed over twenty (20) vehicles at Malaysia Market, in Zuba Area, Gwagwalada Area Council of the FCT. The cause of the fire is unknown.

■ **Location:** Malaysia Market, in Zuba Area, Gwagwalada Area Council of the FCT.

■ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

■ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Twenty vehicles destroyed/Car dealers.

■ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The combined efforts of the Federal Fire Service, security teams and community members ensured the containment of the fire.